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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hiroyuki KOMAI

Serial No. 09/765,631

Group Art Unit: 2171

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For: SCHEDULE MANAGEMENT APPARATUS, SCHEDULE MANAGEMENT METHOD,  
AND MACHINE-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM STORING SCHEDULE  
MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on June 26, 2004. A Petition for a three-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to September 26, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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